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H PASS: HON. EDWARD M. KENNEDY, UNITED STATES SENATE,
WASHINGTON, D.C.

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: SREF (NGUYEN THI THUY DUNG AKA NGUYEN THI KIM THOM)

SUBJ: VIETNAMESE REFUGEE: NGUYEN THI THUY DUNG AKA NGUYEN THI KIM THO
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REF: YOUR UNDATED INQUIRY TO THE DEPT OF STATE

1. NGUYEN THI THUY DUNG APPLIED AT THIS EMBASSY ON FEBRUARY 10, 1976
TO

ENTER THE UNITED STATES. AS SHE COULD NOT BE ENTITLED TO STATUS AS AN
IMMIGRANT VISA APPLICANT UNDER THE IMMIGRATION AND NATIONALITY ACT,
SHE WAS CONSIDERED UNDER THE INDOCHINESE REFUGEE PROGRAM.

2. SHE ORIGINALLY PRESENTED A BIRTH CERTIFICATE AND TRIED TO APPLY
UNDER THE NAME OF NGUYEN MY DUNG. SHE QUICKLY EXPLAINED THAT WAS NOT
HER TRUE IDENTIFY WHICH SHE SAID WAS NGUYEN THI KIM THOM. EMBASSY DID
NOT KNOW OF NAME OF NGUYEN THI THUY DUNG UNTIL RECEIPT OF YOUR
INQUIRY.

3. SHE SAID SHE DEPARTED FROM SAIGON POSING AS WIFE OF ROBERT MARCELO

,
A PHILIPPINE CITIZEN. SHE OBTAINED A PHILIPPINE VISA AND ENTERED THE
PHILIPPINES ON NOVEMBER 8, 1975, AS MARCELO'S WIFE. SHE NOW CLAIMS
THE MISREPRESENTATION TO THE VIETNAMESE AND PHILIPPINE OFFICIALS WAS
DONE TO INSURE HER ESCAPE.

4. SHE HAS NO RELATIVES IN U.S. THAT WOULD QUALIFY HER FOR REFUGEE

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PROGRAM. SHE SAYS SHE WORKED FOR PACIFIC ARCHITECTS AND ENGINEERS

UNTIL MARCH 1975. THIS HOWEVER WAS NOT THE SAME AS EMPLOYMENT WITH
U.S. GOVERNMENT, ANOTHER QUALIFYING GROUNDS.

5. FAILING TO MEET THE CRITERIA AS A REFUGEE, HER REQUEST FOR
REFUGEE STATUS WAS REFUSED.

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